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NO. 10.

## A Word of Warning.

Several years ago this section of the State was canvassed by a lot of agents who sold steel ranges at big prices. They were pretty fair stoves but cost fifteen to twenty-five dollars more than the same or better ranges would cost if bought from our local dealers. We learn that another invasion is contemplated and that innocent looking receipts for ranges left on trial turn out to be promissory notes, with all exemptions which the law allows, waived. Our people should be very careful in signing any paper presented by a stranger, as it generally means much more than appears on its face.

Our local dealers can and will sell anything in their various lines at less prices than can traveling agents with big expenses for horses, vehicles, drivers, etc.—Winchester Democrat.

A man in a little village in Kansas was the father of two sons, and a widow of the same village was the mother of two daughters. The father soon married the widow's oldest daughter, his oldest son married the widow and the youngest son married the widow's youngest daughter. If you can figure out their kin the bake shop is yours.—Ex.

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## "Be a Methodist, Then."

In a quite little village not far from town lives a Baptist preacher and his family. The preacher is blessed with one son, a lad of four years, who has inherited all the traditional baptism by immersion principles, and who by close attention given to the ceremony as performed by his fond parent, is able to repeat it word for word. A few days ago he filled a tub with water in the back kitchen, and caught the kittens, proceeded to inculcate them into one of the Baptist churches. At the end of the ceremony each of the kittens took its immersion with calm forbearance, but when the mother was poised on her back and the "dip" commenced, there was a scramble, and two long red lines from the cat's claws were left along the little fellow's hand. Realizing only the importance of his work, he soon had the mother cat again poised over the tub of water, and, after repeating the ceremony for a second time, the plunge was started but the result was more disastrous than the former effort. The scratching, biting and clawing was too much for the boy, and as he disgustedly threw the cat from him he exclaimed: "Darn it, then, be a Methodist if you want to."—Ex.

## A Funny Gift.

Among the presents lately showered upon a rural bride was one that was the gift of an old lady in the neighborhood, with whom both bride and groom were prime favorites.

Some years ago the old lady accumulated a supply of cardboard mottoes, which she worked and had framed as occasion arose.

In cheerful reds and blues, suspended by a cord of the same colors, over the table on which the other presents were grouped, hung the motto: "Fight on, Fight ever."—Detroit Free Press.

Early and provident fear is the mother of safety.

## KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Gleaned from all parts of the Commonwealth

Short, Readable Items of Interest to All.

A newspaper will shortly be started at Valley View.

L. P. Todd, one of the leading dry goods merchants at Richmond, has made an assignment.

Ivan Wheeler, six years old of Midway, scratched his finger on a nail. Lockjaw developed and in a few days he died.

In the Jessamine Circuit Court the Standard Oil Company was fined \$500 on the charge of peddling without license.

The Bourbon county grand jury has returned indictments against eighty insurance companies doing business at Paris.

The saloon men charged with violating the Sunday closing law at Lexington were each fined \$10 and cost. They will appeal their cases.

Adam Baum, a prominent and wealthy merchant of Mt. Sterling, and ex-Mayor of the city, died Friday of pneumonia aged sixty years.

Acting Gov. Worthington pardoned Jackson Cox, a thirteen-year-old boy sentenced to two years imprisonment for barn burning.

In the Circuit Court at Versailles thirty-nine fire insurance companies were fined \$400 each on the charge of forming a conspiracy to raise rates.

The Kentucky Press Association will take its annual outing at Old Point Comfort some time in July. The business session will be held in Louisville.

It is said that Gov. Bradley will leave Kentucky after his term as governor expires. He has Cincinnati New York and Los Angeles in contemplation.

Acting Governor Worthington has pardoned David Spencer who is serving a term of six years in the penitentiary for the murder of John Tutt a couple of years ago.

Joe Lieter, who lost five million dollars in the famous wheat deal last year, has bought about 340,000 acres of timber and coal land in Eastern Kentucky for less than half a million dollars.

Seventy acres of Fayette county land, lying five and one-half miles from Lexington, sold last week at \$100 an acre.

## G. W. DAUGHETEE.

Geo. W. Daughetee was born June 7, 1827, in Clark county, Ky., and died near Valley View, Tex., Nov. 30, 1898. He was converted and joined the M. E. Church at Jackson's Chapel at about the age of thirteen. He lived from that time until his death a consistent exemplary Christian life. Bro. Daughetee was a man of positive convictions, though a man of few words, and when convinced of the right he moved along that line quietly, but firmly, with all his energies, fearing nothing, having no thought of being thwarted in his purpose. This characteristic was brought out very prominently in his life during the war, and after, when it took firmness and courage to stand to one's convictions. In the separation of 1844 he espoused the Southern cause, and during the war the lines were drawn so sharply in his community, and the opposite side being in the majority, his church went down—so I have been informed—until all the members but himself and family became discouraged and quit; but he, true to his convictions and his church, held on in the face of seeming defeat through the years, until, after awhile, God honored his faith and integrity, the church began to gather strength and grow, and now they have a good, strong church and a nice building in which to worship—a monument to his unswerving faith and love for the cause he held so dear. A good man has been taken from us, one who served his generation by the will of God. He lived in his home as he lived before the world—in that quiet way which did not fail to make its impress upon his family and others. He did not order and command in the control of his children, but depended upon his righteous counsel and Godly example to steer them in the proper course, and it did not fail, for they are an honor to him. All of them are good, religious citizens. Bro. Daughetee was married to Miss Nancy Spry on May 3, 1850. They had born unto them seven children. His wife and two of his children preceded him to the glory world. The five who remain are following after. Just a few weeks before his death his last son was happily converted, on which occasion he said to me with great joy: "I am satisfied now; the last one of my children is saved. I am ready to go; yea, I want to go." He was taken sick in a few days and gradually, without suffering a great deal, closed what I have often heard him call it, "his long and weary life." Bro. Daughetee had as rich Christian experience as anyone with whom I ever associated. He moved to Texas in November, 1884, and settled near Valley View, Cooke county, where he lived until his death. May the God of all grace keep his children and loved ones, and at last bring them safe to the mansion above. W. E. JORDAN.

The above sketch of G. W. Daughetee is taken from the Central Methodist, and through the solicitation of friends in this community, where he resided the principal part of his life we republish it.

## WOMAN

As She is Seen by a Tender Hearted Analyst.

Woman!

She can laugh with her lips, make a man think she is the merriest creature in the world, while her eyes are full of unshed tears and her heart is beating as if it would burst. She can forgive a great sin like an angel and nag a man about a petty vice like a fury.

She can fix up old frocks and wear them with a cheerful heart that she may help somebody, and she can spend the first money she really feels she can use for herself in going to a matinee or on candy when she needs a new pair of shoes. She can quiet a baby with one or two reassuring pats, when a man might almost knock the life out of it, give it a whole bottle of soothing syrup, and it would still be open eyed and aggressive. She can cry out her troubles on a man's shoulder, and feel a relief that is only possible from masculine help, and 10 minutes later she can laugh in that man's face and wonder what men were made for.

What can't she do? She will never be able to resist the man or baby who has got the love of her heart.—Ex.

At a sale in Shelby county, corn brought \$2 per barrel.

George Carter, an aged Clinton county, (Ind.) farmer created a stir in the streets at Kokomo the other day, with all his pockets bulging out with gold pieces and rolls of greenbacks, having on his person \$150,000, all of which he "dug up out of the ground," raising corn, hogs and cattle on his farm. He was surrounded by covetous eyes all day, but he allowed no one to get close to him. He tantalized the crowd by holding out a peck of gold in a basket, twirling a revolver in the other. Toward evening he put the cash in the bank and went home, having shown the people what a "John Farmer" could do when he wanted to "show off."

Mrs. Will Money, of Bloomfield, is said to have a cow three-fourths Jersey, seven years old, which gives five gallons of milk a day and one gallon of her cream makes six pounds of butter.—Danville Advocate.

Mrs. B. McNamara has paid Circuit Clerk Roger \$1,000, the forfeited bail bond of her son, John H. McNamara, the fugitive slayer of Jacob S. Keller.



# THE TIMES.

**J. E. BURGHER**  
PUBLISHER.

**SATURDAY, MAR. 25.**

## ADVERTISING RATES.

One inch first insertion - \$ 50  
Each additional insertion 25  
Liberal contracts can be made for larger advertisements by the month.  
Business locals, Obituaries and Special notices 10 cents per line, each additional insertion 5 cents.

## CLUB RATES.

For the convenience of our subscribers we have arranged clubbing rates with the following papers at prices below named:

The Times and  
Louisville Dispatch \$ 75  
" Cincinnati Enquirer 1 15  
" Detroit Free-Press 1 00  
" Louisville Commercial 75  
" Home and Farm 75  
" Louisville Daily Post 2 50

The Court of Appeals will adjourn Saturday for a vacation of two weeks. The Court has during its present session disposed of more cases than any previous term, many of them being highly important.

Attorney General Monett, of Ohio, says no special legislation is needed to destroy the trusts. He has instituted quo warranto proceeding against the Standard Oil Company—a writ to show cause "why its life should not be taken from it by revoking its charter, appointing trustees and winding up its business." He says that every State may abolish a corporation which may be proved guilty of using its powers "to carry out any contract, policy or scheme that is against the public policy of the State or Nation."—Ex.

Every editor has received them. The postmaster sends them to the editor. The postmaster is not to blame. For instance, there was a man by the name of—well, say Tim Short, who sent us three notices to stop his paper, he didn't want his paper any longer. We wondered what was the matter. Examining the subscription book we found that Tim was short \$10. He never had paid a cent, and yet he had stopped his paper as a matter of economy—to us. He didn't want us to lose any by him. A few days afterwards Short was at church and his melodious voice rang out loud and clear in that old soul stirring song, "Jesus Paid it All." We have been mistaken but his earnestness impressed us. So the next day we sent him a receipt in full begging his pardon for not knowing that he had made an assignment of his liabilities to the Lord.—Fulton Guard.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Vaughn's Mill.

The small-pox is still raging in Stanton.

Mr. Will Swope, of Wade's Mill, spent Saturday night with W. O. Mize.

Mrs. Amos Cain, of Clay City, visited her mother, Mrs. Mary McKinney last week.

Mrs. Suda Chambers and Mrs. Albert Holman spent Friday with Mrs. John Mize.

Mr. Mark Low, of Stanton, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. P. Bush, of this place. He is in very delicate health.

We regret very much to say that Mr. J. O. Daniel, who has been sick for quite awhile, is now insane. It is thought he will have to be taken to the asylum.

Mr. Chas. Rupard and Chas. Tapp, of Wade's Mill, spent Friday night and Saturday with their best girls. They would have stayed longer had it not been for Mr. Rupard having to make his departure for Illinois the following Monday.

### West Irvine.

"Uncle" Ben Wilcox was in town Saturday.

Monday was court day at Irvine, there was a good crowd in town.

Mr. John Park, one of the oldest citizens of Irvine, is very low at this writing.

Miss Dora Rice, of Irvine, visited relatives at King's Station last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucinda Little has returned from Missouri and is now visiting Mrs. Davidson at Irvine.

Miss Minnie Davidson of Irvine, has returned home after a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives at Lexington.

Mr. John Rice, formerly of Rice Station, has moved into the house near the lower ferry, known as the Rutha White house.

There is a good tide in the river and the mill company is catching a nice lot of logs. They had some trouble Tuesday morning when the boom broke loose and lost quite a number of logs.

Monday was the first day of spring and it certainly was a spring day, was warm and sunny, a gentle south breeze was blowing throughout the day and the little birds that God has sent to cheer our lonely hours, were pouring forth their sweetest melodies.

### King's Station.

Eld J. F. Turpin left Monday for Frankfort.

Davy Richardson, of Sand Hill, was in town last Saturday.

Eld. J. S. Crow, of Panola, was in town last Saturday.

Hon. J. H. Amerine, of Portland, was in town last Thursday.

Eld. J. W. Parson, of Berca, was the guest of T. J. King last Saturday.

Lula Benton, of Colorado, is reported to be in a dying condition at this time.

Hon. Speed Finney, of this place, is talking of making a trip to Lexington in a few days.

Luther Thomas moved into our quiet town last Saturday. We welcome him to our midst.

A counsel was called at Providence Baptist church March 19, 1899, for the purpose of setting apart Bro. J. T. Turpin to the gospel ministry. The house was called to order by A. G. Coker, Pastor of the church. Bro. Coker acted as Mod. Bro. T. W. Turpin, Clerk. Bro. J. T. Turpin related his christian experience and called to the ministry after which he was very rigidly examined as to his faith which he answered with quick promptness. Ordination prayer by Bro. J. J. Edwards and laying on of hands by Presbytery consisting of Elds. J. W. Parson, J. S. Crow and J. J. Edwards. Bro. Parson delivered charge to the candidate, Bro. Coker charge to the church. May our Bro. who has been set apart ever be faithful to his duties and be instrumental in winning many souls to our Savior. Sand Cutter.

### A Difficult Problem.

Here is a problem for the school boys and girls: A lady goes into a grocery store and buys a quarter of a pound of twelve-cent coffee and asks the grocer to deliver it. It takes a dollar-a-day clerk ten minutes to package and deliver it in a two-dollar and-a-half-per-thousand sack, and the coffee costs 10 cents per pound. How much profit, if any, does the grocer make? The above actually occurred in one of our grocery establishments this week.—Ex.

### Mixed Correspondence.

One of our exchanges tells about an editor who got his answers to correspondents mixed. One writer had asked him a question as to the best way of conducting the affairs of twins during the teething period. The other wanted to know how grasshoppers could be induced to let up on their depredations in his orchard. The editor answered the questions but inadvertently mixed the initials. The happy father of the twins was told to "cover them carefully with straw and set fire to them, and the little pests, after jumping about in the flames for a few minutes, will speedily be steel-ed." This was a tragic part of the mistake. The comedy came in when the man plagued with grasshoppers found himself gravely directed to "Give a little castor oil and rub their gums with bone-rings." It took a lot of explaining to square that editor with two indignant subscribers.

Acting Governor Wothington pardoned David Spencer, of Wolfe county, serving a six-year sentence for manslaughter.

Versailles is to have a new female seminary, to be known as "Ashland Seminary."

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### Shooting at Levee.

Price Maupin, aged about 20 and a son of James Maupin, was shot and probably fatally wounded Monday evening by Thos. J. Douglas in front of the latter's store at Levee, in this county. The ball was a 38 calibre and passed through the liver. Douglas came in and surrendered to the Sheriff. The case was continued until Saturday to await the result of Maupin's injury, and Douglas was released on a \$500 bond. Douglas claims self defense. We have failed to secure details of the shooting, as those interested refuse to talk, but we are told that the shooting was the outgrowth of previous trouble between the families.—Mt. Sterling Gazette.

Since the publication of the above Maupin has died. Mr. Douglas has numerous relatives and friends in this county who will regret to learn of the killing above mentioned. The report here has it that Douglas was justifiable and will doubtless come clear on the examining trial to-day.

During the past sixteen years thirty newspapers have been established at Cedar Rapids, Ia., and all have been discontinued.

If you are pleased at finding faults, you are displeased at finding perfections.

For Sale—One 2 horse wagon, 3 in. spindle with bed and breaks.  
J. W. Dawson.

### Warning to Hunters.

Notice is hereby given to the public that all hunting and trapping is forbidden on any and all land belonging to the undersigned.  
Kinney.

### Notice to Hunters.

All persons are hereby notified that all hunting and trapping is forbidden on any and all land belonging to the undersigned.  
B. S. Burgher.

### Store House, For Rent.

The store building now occupied by J. W. Dawson & Bro will be rented for the year 1899, possession to be given March 1st. Also a nice, cozy cottage. Best store house in town, and no better place in the county to sell goods. Apply at this office.

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### Local Markets.

Spoutspring, Ky. Mar. 25.

The following are prices paid by produce dealers of this place:

Apples	3
Beans	1@3
Beef hides	4
Beeswax	18
Corn	40
Ducks	5
Geese	30 c each
Eggs	7
Feathers	30
Hens	42

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### Clay City & Spoutspring Telephone Line.

The Clay City & Spoutspring Telephone line is now completed and in operation. Charge for the use of the 'phone is

1 to 5 minutes.....15c  
5 to 10 ".....25c.  
B. Littlepage, Mgr.

An exchange says fall, winter and spring work is all being telescoped together just now. Many farmers are shucking corn and breaking sod, delayed by the weather from last fall. Others have just fairly started breaking hemp which work also should now be completed. Oats seeding is also at hand and clover too. Altogether, the farmer has his hands full.

Dr. B. Littlepage, of Clay City, was here Thursday to witness the completion of the telephone line. Dr. is an all-around shrewd business man and he has the thanks of the editor and other enterprising citizens of this community for the completion of this badly needed improvement. We believe and hope this line will be a very paying investment for its owner.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

SPOUTSPRING, KY.  
SATURDAY, MAR. 25. 1899.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Thos. West, of Miller's Creek, was here Tuesday.

John Hamilton, of Winchester, was in the burg Monday.

Estill county circuit court will convene at Irvine next Monday.

Born, to the wife of Johnny Crow, Wednesday, March 22, a girl.

Aquilla Henry was down from Little creek Tuesday on business.

F. R. Elkin left Thursday for Missouri to make that his future home.

Mr and Mrs. John Duggins, of Ekkester, are visiting relatives at Sams.

J. W. Henry, the photographer, seems to be doing a very good business.

D McKinney attended court at Mt. Sterling Monday and bought a bunch of cattle.

CORN LAND FOR RENT—I have some corn land for rent for a part of the crop. Mrs. Ann Patrick.

Mr. Waller, representing a life insurance company of St. Louis, was in the burg Tuesday.

On account of the case of small pox at Stanton no circuit court will be held in Powell county this term.

It is pouring down rain again this morning and all probabilities are that we will get no mail again today.

Ex-Sheriff Albert Welch, of Stanton, Ky., had the misfortune to lose his house on Sunday afternoon.

Owing to the continued wet weather land slides of great dimensions are common on mountain sides and steep hills.

Isaac Sams, who was stabbed by Garfield Merrill the middle of last month on Woodward's creek, was in town Monday. We are glad to see Isaac out again.

John Stone will move from Silver creek, Madison county, to this end of Clark county. Thos. S. McKinney has gone with his team now to assist in moving him.

John W. Barnett, was down from Yale two days of this week. He has decided to move to that point, but will have to build a house before he can move, which will make it about

the 1st. of June before he will get moved, as he will not begin building until May, that being as soon as he can get the lumber.

B. F. Tuttle, of Fox, was in the burg Thursday and had some stock cards printed. He didn't forget to enroll his name on our increasing subscription list.

One family of this community sold one day this week \$25 worth of produce. Looks like Estill county is becoming something of an egg and etc. producing county.

On account of high water last Saturday we failed to get any mail and our subscribers will please remember that when the mail cannot go on Saturdays that throws their paper two days late.

Rev. B. F. Wright has recovered from his recent severe spell of sickness so as to be able to knock about in the neighborhood. He looks well considering the severe attack of disease.

Geo. B. Secord, the well known contractor of Towanda, N. Y., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for a long time and have found it superior to any other." For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

Albert McIntosh, the fruit grower of this section, was in the burg Saturday. He tells us that his peaches are all killed, but his bees are in a thriving condition and he expects to have a good supply of honey this summer.

W. E. Heflin left Thursday morning for Munson, Rowan county, where his father is lying at the point of death. Mr. Heflin is a good man who would be greatly missed by his neighbors, and we hope his condition is not so serious as has been reported.

### Farm For Rent.

Farm situated on Plum creek 1/2 mile east of Spoutspring. Grass and corn land, and one of the best chestnut orchards in the country. I also have two good horses for sale or trade.

Mrs. Nannie Sams.

Levi Curtis has bought of Rev. A. Seay his place of 17 acres at Walters' ferry for \$250. He has obtained possession of same and moved thereto. Rev. Seay moving to the Fritz place formerly occupied by Bev Seay, and Seay has moved to the Wills farm on the river.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

### Photograph Outfit For Sale.

A good photograph outfit or a tin type outfit, including tent and everything complete. Anyone wishing to buy, would do well to see me. J. W. Henry. Or for information write this office.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy to say that it has not since returned.—JOSH. EDGAR, Germantown, Cal. For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

### Notice to The Public.

For nearly four years—ever since I have been carrying the mail—I have been carrying packages of various kinds and sizes, without charge to anybody. It has now become very burdensome and I am forced to make charges for work of this kind in the future. Any persons wanting packages brought from Clay City or carried to that point, can be accommodated by me at a very reasonable charge.

B. L. Burgher.

### Child Drowned.

While fording Black Creek Sunday, which was running very swift, Mrs. Aquilla Henry fell from her horse into the creek. She was carrying her 18 month-old baby which was drowned. Her husband who was with her, sprang to her rescue and came near drowning himself. The family lived on White Oak, this county, and was on their way to Menifee county to visit Mrs. Henry's relatives there. Mr. Henry is a cousin to John W. Henry, of this place.

### Hello Clay City.

The Clay City & Spoutspring Telephone line is now completed and you can call up anyone in Clay City and converse with them on business or pleasure at a small cost. This line will be very convenient for our people and they are to be congratulated on getting it. Mr. Charley Hiley proved to be an excellent hand at the business for before the connection was hardly properly made, the ring was heard at the office. The TIMES office will be supplied with a phone and has secured No. 1. Our phone will be in operation in a few days so when you want to talk to us call up No. 1.

### The Black Diamond.

At a meeting of Black Diamond people at Cincinnati Tuesday all the necessary preliminaries were arranged to close the contract for the funds to build the road. As soon as the financier, Mr. Dickinson, can reach London the deal will be closed and arrangements made to begin the work at once. The road is now an assured fact. We who have made such an up hill fight for the enterprise feel much elated over the final success.—Dover News.

And the Enquirer in speaking of the Black Diamond says: "The funds necessary to commence the construction of 550 miles of the road from Clay City, Ky., through the rich coal, iron and timber re-

gions en route to the magnificent harbor of Port Royal, S. C., will be available immediately, and we expect to commence the actual construction of the road within three or four months or earlier.

### MARRIED.

Mr. Joe Hall and Miss Mollie Hall, daughter of Geo. Hall, were married Thursday, March 23.

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective Nov. 27, 1898.

#### EAST BOUND.

STATIONS.	No. 2.		No. 4.	
	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	ex. Sun	ex. Sun	ex. Sun	ex. Sun
Lv. Lexington	2 00	7 45		
" Montrose	2 15	8 00		
" Avon	2 25	8 10		
" Wyandotte	2 32	8 17		
" Winchester	2 45	8 30		
" Fairlie	2 57	8 42		
" Indian Fields	3 13	9 00		
" Clay City	3 30	9 16		
" Stanton	3 41	9 25		
" Rosslyn	3 47	9 31		
" Filson	3 54	9 38		
" Dundee	4 05	9 47		
" Natural Bridge	4 10	9 54		
" Torrent	4 24	10 08		
" Fincastle	4 38	10 22		
" Beattyville Junct.	4 46	10 29		
" Beattyville	4 50	10 30		
" Beattyville	5 10	10 50		
" St. Helers	4 56	10 39		
" Tallega	5 10	10 51		
" Athol	5 18	10 59		
" Oakdale	5 25	11 06		
" Elkatawa	5 42	11 22		
" Jackson	5 50	11 30		

#### WEST BOUND.

STATIONS.	No. 1.		No. 3.	
	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	ex. Sun	ex. Sun	ex. Sun	ex. Sun
Lv. Jackson	6 25	1 15		
" Elkatawa	6 33	1 23		
" Oakdale	6 49	1 37		
" Athol	6 56	1 44		
" Tallega	7 04	1 52		
" St. Helers	7 16	2 04		
" Beattyville Junct.	7 26	2 14		
" Beattyville	7 50	2 30		
" Beattyville	7 00	1 50		
" Fincastle	7 39	2 21		
" Torrent	7 47	2 25		
" Natural Bridge	8 03	2 49		
" Dundee	8 08	2 58		
" Filson	8 19	3 08		
" Rosslyn	8 26	3 14		
" Stanton	8 33	3 20		
" Clay City	8 42	3 30		
" Indian Fields	8 59	3 45		
" Fairlie	9 16	4 00		
" Winchester	9 29	4 12		
" Wyandotte	9 43	4 26		
" Avon	9 49	4 33		
" Montrose	9 58	4 44		
" Lexington	10 50	5 00		

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Coincidences of Jefferson Davis and Abraham Lincoln.

They were both born in Kentucky, Davis in 1808 and Lincoln in 1809. Both removed from their native state in childhood. In the Black Hawk war, 1832, Lincoln was captain of volunteers and Davis lieutenant of the regulars. Both began their political careers at the same period, 1844, Davis being then a presidential elector of Pelk, and Lincoln a presidential elector for Henry Clay. Both were elected to Congress, and in the same year and within a few days of each other were called upon to preside over their respective governments. Davis as President of the Confederate States, February 8, 1861, and Lincoln as President of the United States, March 4, 1861.

**Plaint of A Millionaire.**

What is the smallest income on which a man may live in New York? was the question I asked to-day of a noted banker, whose income cannot be less than \$100,000,000 a year. "Well," he replied, "my household expenses alone amount to \$25,000 a year, and I do not see how I possibly could live on less than that." Then a reminiscent smile began to cross his countenance, and heaving a little sigh, he said: "But the happiest time of my life was when my wife and I and two children lived here on \$2,500 a year. After all, happiness doesn't depend on the amount of a man's income."

"I was quite intimate with William H. Vanderbilt when he was considered the richest man in the country. I met him one day in Fifth avenue and said to him that he ought to be the happiest man in the world. 'I am not' the great millionaire replied. 'My health is shattered and all the money I possess cannot restore it. I cannot even drive one of my fine horses. It is painful for me to sit down. My only possible exercise is for me to walk down the avenue. I receive threatening letters daily, and my nerves are so unstrung that I am constantly afraid that some assassin will waylay me. I am overrun with people who want to get money. I am the most wretched man in New York, and I tell you that after a person has accumulated enough to secure him against poverty and gratify his reasonable wants, every dollar in addition is a burden and weighs him down.' —Philadelphia Ledger.

**A Novel Law Suit.**

A New York grocer has brought suit against a dental company, and the action is one of the most novel ever heard of but not from the plaintiff's standpoint. He went to have a tooth extracted and the wrong molar was pulled; but this was not the worst of the operation. One of the nerves of the eye was so disarranged that the optic keeps up a constant twitching in a manner commonly known as a wink. This has caused the grocer much embarrassment. On

a number of occasions he has been chastised by the escorts of ladies who were under the impression that the unhappy grocer was trying to flirt. He has been called all sorts of names, and now he never goes on the street or enters a street car without wearing dark glasses. He thinks he has been damaged to the extent of \$10,000.—Ex.

**The Stingy Man.**

He lived on thirteen cents a day—  
Ten cents for milk and crackers,  
One cent for dissipation gay,  
And two cents for tobacco.  
And if he wished an extra dish,  
He'd take his pole and catch a fish.  
And if his stomach raised a war  
Against his pernicious habit,  
He'd go and kill a woodchuck,  
Or assassinate a rabbit.  
And thus he'd live in sweet content  
On food that never cost a cent.

And that he might lay in the bank  
The proceeds of his labor,  
He'd call round at meals, the crank  
To dine upon his neighbor.  
And then he'd eat enough to last  
Until another day had passed.

He bought no pantaloons nor vest,  
No rich, expensive jacket;  
He had one suit—his pa's bequest  
He said would stand the racket.  
He patched it thirty years, 'tis true,  
And then declared 'twas good as new.

He owned but one suit to his back,  
And minus cuffs and collars  
He died and left his nephew Jack  
Nine hundred thousand dollars!  
And Jack ran this fortune through  
And it only took a year or two.  
—Exchange.

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